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ITEMS OF INTEREST.

Mention of People You Do and Do Not Know.

Other Interesting Matter Which Can Be Read With Profit By All Our Townspeople.

In the farm-lands or the city
Grieves a woman—sad—alone;
'Neath God's everlasting pity
She is weeping for her own.
Cabinets have toiled and wrangled,
Statesmen could not soothe her pain—
For that weary heart is tangled
In the wreckage of the Maine.

Through the golden halls of fashion
Moves a lady tall and fair;
Round her gleam the flames of passion
On the soft magnetic air.
Sighs bow and bend above her,
But their wiles are all in vain:
She is thinking of a lover
In the wreckage of the Maine.

On a cot, the sailor lying
Rests his soul in silent prayer;
Through the long days he is dying;
But his tears are fallen there
For the gallens fellow-seamen
Who shall rest while Time shall reign,
In that sepulchre of freemen,
'Neath the wreckage of the Maine.

On a continent of splendor
In a nation calmly grand—
Freedom's natural defender—
Honest labor's helping hand.
And it speaks, half kind, half cruel:
"Liberty, O haughty Spain,
Soon may grasp another jewel
From the wreckage of the Maine!"
—Will Carleton, in "Every Where" for April.

Soda pop at Aaron Schutz's.
Hammocks at Porterfield's.
Vichy water at the postoffice store.
Alva Mason is down from Pinos Altos.
Thos. Marshall of Deming is in the city.

J. L. Burnside was in El Paso this week.
Thos. Carr was up from Deming yesterday.

G. O. Smith of Topeka, Kansas, came in Thursday.

The district court convenes in this city next Monday.

C. L. Erickson, was down from Cook's Peak last week.

Frank C. Bell, was down from Pinos Altos last Tuesday.

J. R. Pearson of the lower Gila, was in the city last week.

Sheriff H. O. Bursom of Socorro was in the city Saturday.

Herbert Waters was down from Pinos Altos last Thursday.

Mrs. J. F. Posey spent Sunday at Hudson Hot Springs.

District Clerk J. P. Mitchell has returned from Hillsboro.

The drug store of W. C. Porterfield has acetylene gas lights.

A company of home guards will shortly be organized in this city.

Jim Schoonmaker and wife were down from Pinos Altos Thursday.

Paints and oils at Porterfield's.

A. Hartwig of the Azure turquoise camp was in the city this week.

Kameras and supplies at Porterfield's. Attorney Alvan N. White has moved his office over The Independent.

Drink soda water—at Porterfield's. The care and feed of the city horse will hereafter be let by contract.

W. N. Newcomb has added a handsome new piano to Newcomb hall.

Dr. A. H. VanCleve is back from a professional trip to El Paso Texas.

Literature.

All the standard and late novels at Porterfield's.

Clarence Bayne has a pet in the shape of a carbuncle, which he is nursing this week.

Constable R. F. Randall was among the Central visitors in Silver City last week.

Felix A. Vogel and wife are home after a month's visit to the City of Mexico.

Reese Herndon has been absent for several days bear hunting on the Sapello.

Special United States Attorney David W. Medbury went to Socorro last Wednesday.

Hon. G. F. Patrick, of Pueblo, Colorado, brother-in law of Sheriff McAfee is in the city.

A. Watis, was in from Socorro last week, looking after various matters of business.

John A. Moses is acting in the capacity of deputy assessor during the present rush in that office.

A full line of candies and nuts at D. C. McMillen & Co's.

Fred Winters, formerly section foreman at Crawford, but now a resident of Deming, was in the city last week.

District Attorney Thomas S. Heflin and Attorneys James S. Fielder and J. A. Ancheta are back from Hillsboro.

D. B. Gillett, Jr., the manager of the Hearst estate interests in this section, came down from Pinos Altos Thursday.

J. H. Tiffany, who has spent some time in Silver City for the benefit of his health, has returned to his home in New York.

Delicious drinks at Porterfield's soda fountain.

Frederick, infant child of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Shipley has been seriously ill with pneumonia, but is slowly improving.

While at the postoffice waiting for your mail try a glass of Aaron Schutz's famous pineapple soda.

B. F. Gooch was in the city last week, returning from the Lower Gila, where he had been in attendance upon a very successful camp-meeting.

Richard G. Paynter, father of W. F. Paynter, late a resident of Silver City, died at his home in Hannibal, Mo., on April 25th, aged 90 years.

Frank Reed, the gentlemanly clerk in Porterfield's, has been under the weather for several days but reported for duty yesterday afternoon.

Fresh meats of all kinds can be found at D. C. McMillen & Co's market on Broadway.

Wg. Welty received ten barrels of Monarch sour mash whisky this week. The Exchange is evidently doing a rushing business.

Mrs. S. Shvartstein and daughter, Miss Cecilia, mother and sister of Mrs. Joseph Aronheim of Pinos Altos, arrived from New York Thursday.

James Matthews, the contractor and builder, is erecting a substantial adobe residence near his present home in the northwestern portion of the city.

See Lindauer & Burnside's new Stetson hats.

J. M. Fritter, the confectioner, has placed a handsome soda fountain in his store and is now catering to the public with all kinds of summer drinks.

James Carter has rented and will shortly take possession of the residence formerly occupied by Attorney W. A. Hawkins, near the Episcopal church.

Aaron Schutz's soda fountain is now in running order. All kinds of syrups and extracts.

The Santa Fe railroad company will hold open jobs for all of its employees who enlist in the war. An order to this effect has been agreed upon and will be issued at once.

Mrs. O. S. Warren is fitting up the building on Bullard street, opposite the postoffice recently purchased from A. J. Grahams and will occupy the same for her business.

John Carson is keeping in line with improvements and is having his saloon renovated and fitted up. When completed it will be one of the cosiest resorts in the city.

Bert Brahm, son of the well known cattleman, William Brahm, is quite ill, suffering from rheumatism. He will leave shortly for California anticipating benefit from a change of climate.

B. F. Allison was in from the Gila Thursday. He informs us that Charlie Colbraith has purchased of Tom Hall the remnants of the U and Z horses and now has sole control of that brand.

Silver City Lodge No. 413, B. P. O. E. has erected its Exalted Ruler, Judge Gideon D. Bantz as its representative to the thirtieth annual convention of the Grand Lodge at New Orleans May 10th.

A social dance was given at the T Box ranch on the Mimbres Thursday night and was largely attended. All the boys from the N A N ranch took part and enjoyed themselves to their heart's content.

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The New Mexico volunteers went to San Antonio via La Junta and Newton, Kansas, and not by El Paso as was generally expected. They left Santa Fe Saturday afternoon and are now in San Antonio.

Full line of the latest styles and shapes of Stetson hats, just received by Lindauer & Burnside.

B. F. Allison and Wiley Bishop drove from Cactus Flat, on the Gila, to Silver City last Thursday in eight hours time, the distance being seventy-five miles, and the two animals driven were ordinary cow ponies.

Hood & Co. on Saturday made a shipment of 650 head of cattle to Colorado parties.

KODAKS and supplies at Porterfield's.

Anna, the infant daughter of J. L. Baker and Carlota Baker died at the residence of the parents in this city Monday morning at 8 o'clock, aged 2 years, 3 months and 8 days. Death was due to complications following an attack of measles.

Mrs. D. Bennett and daughter were here several days last week visiting relatives. Mr. Bennett has disposed of his property in California and purchased 3000 acres of land in Texas, where the family will reside in future.

We are under obligations to O. G. Myhre for a photograph, 8x10 of the Silver city volunteers, taken at the depot just before their departure for Santa Fe. The view is a good one, and Mr. Myhre has about a dozen on hand, mounted on cards which he will sell for the small sum of fifty cents each. Send in your order at once.

The members of troop D, First United States Volunteer Cavalry, which is the official designation of Captain's organization, were last week presented by the ladies of Silver City with a handsome silk guide, mounted on the cavalry colors, red and white, and prettily mounted. The present was taken to Santa Fe by Louie Bishop (Friday morning, with a note expressing the sentiment that the boys would never return without their colors.

John, the 10 year old son of Sheriff W. G. McAfee, was thrown from his horse at Central Sunday morning and seriously, though not fatally, injured. The boy with some companions was returning to Silver City, when someone threw a lot of "nigger shooters" striking the horse which young McAfee was riding, frightening him and causing him to rear, throwing the boy from his seat. As he fell his foot caught in the stirrup and this served to further scare and the animal began kicking. When picked up it was found the boy had been badly cut on the left side, and had also received two ugly gashes on the face and head. At last accounts he is reported as doing as well as could be expected.

Although Grant county furnished more than her share of volunteers it is not represented by a commissioned officer in the troops. There has been some talk about this, but there is really no occasion for it. Grant county would have had the captain of the troop had it not been for the resignation of Captain Fleming, and, after his resignation, it would have had the first lieutenant if any of the boys from the county would have accepted it. It was offered to Morgan and Rose, each of whom feared that he was not competent to fill the position. The place of second lieutenant was offered to Ott, but he refused to accept on the ground that he was too young and inexperienced in military matters.

We have just received a large stock of base balls, bats, masks, gloves, etc. Call and see them at Porterfield's.